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The reply filed on August 29, 2005 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant has failed to elect a single invention, designated as either Group I or Group II, as required by the previous Office action. Please note paragraph number 5 on page 4 of the Office action mailed July 27, 2005. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

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